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Ms. Gretchen Wilson
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Dear Ms. Wilson:

Congratulations on your contributions to Reclamation's Business and Economic Development Program (BEDP) goals and objectives which led to your Region's receipt of the BEDP Traveling Trophy for Fiscal Year 1997.

As the Lower Colorado Region's (LC) Business Utilization and Development Specialist, you played a key role in encouraging the support of the BEDP by LC's contracting, program, and technical personnel. This has been demonstrated by LC awarding 71.7% of its acquisition dollars to small businesses and 42.5% of those dollars to minority businesses in Fiscal Year 1997.

Because of your sustained efforts and strong personal commitment to BEDP goals and objectives, Reclamation continues to improve its socioeconomic program performance.

Thanks for a job well done and keep up the good work.

Sincerely,

Eluid Martinez
Commissioner

Enclosure